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## **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

1. Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Bruce Harang on May 24, 2006.

 The following amendment to the specification mailed 03/02/06 has been deleted.

This application is a 371 of PCT/ES02/00599 filed December 13, 2002.

 Claims to continuing data and priority data on the ADS received 5/21/04 have been deleted.

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